

2017 FAMILY COURT CALENDAR

Custody Proceedings:

All custody conferences are scheduled before a custody conference officer in the Juvenile Services department, located on the first floor of the Courthouse. Litigants will receive a date for their custody conference usually within four weeks from filing the complaint and obtaining an Order scheduling the conference.

Custody Pre-Trial Conferences and Contempt Hearings:

January 3 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross
24 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
31 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse

February 7 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Fouse
21 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
28 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross

March 21 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
28 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross

April 4 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
18 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross
25 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse

May 2 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross
23 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
30 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross

June 6 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
20 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross
27 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse

July 25 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse

August 1 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross
15 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
22 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross
29 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse

September 19 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross
26 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse

October 3 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross
17 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
24 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross

November 21 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
28 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross

December 5 – Judge Tesla, Judge Fouse
19 – Judge Knafelc, Judge Ross

Divorce Proceedings – Judge Dale Fouse

Pre-Trial Conferences

January 3, 24, 31

February 7, 21, 28

March 21, 28

April 4, 11, 18, 25

May 2, 23, 30

June 6, 13, 20, 27

July 25

August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

September 19, 26

October 3, 10, 17, 24

November 21, 28

December 5, 12, 19

Divorce Hearings / Special Relief / Exclusive Possession Hearings

January 3, 24, 31

February 7, 21, 28

March 21, 28

April 4, 11, 18, 25

May 2, 23, 30

June 6, 13, 20, 27

July 25

August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

September 19, 26

October 3, 10, 17, 24

November 21, 28

December 5, 12, 19

Exclusive Possession Hearings – Sr. Judge John Dohanich

April 25

May 23

June 20

July 25

August 22

September 19

October 17

November 21

December 19

Support Proceedings – Judge Harry Knafelc

De Novo Hearings

January 26
February 23
April 6
May 4, 25
June 1, 15, 22

July 6
August 3, 24, 31
September 28
October 5, 19, 26
November 30
December 7

Contempt Hearings

February 2
April 20

August 10
December 7

Protection from Abuse Final Hearings / PFA Contempt Hearings:

January 13, 20, 27
February 3, 10, 17, 23
March 2, 9, 16, 24, 30
April 6, 13, 21, 26
May 5, 12, 19, 25
June 2, 9, 15, 22, 30

July 7, 14, 21, 28
August 4, 10, 17, 24, 31
September 8, 15, 22, 29
October 6, 13, 20, 27
November 3, 9, 16, 22, 30
December 7, 15, 22, 29

Hearings on contempt petitions of both Emergency and Temporary PFA orders take place on final hearing days unless otherwise scheduled by the Court.